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**RESPONSE TO FINAL OFFICE ACTION**

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This paper responds to the final Office Action mailed July 25, 2006. Please charge the fee for a three-month extension of time, notice of appeal, and any other fee necessary for consideration of this paper to our Deposit Account No. 500479.

**Amendments** to the claims begin on page 2 of this paper.

**Remarks** begin on page 4 of this paper.

The following items accompany this response:

- Notice of appeal; and
- Declaration of Dr. Jennifer Reed under 37 C.F.R. § 132.